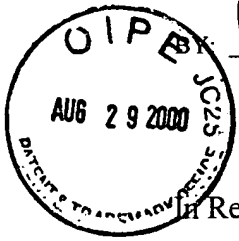


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Appln. No.: 09/585,149 :
Filed: June 1, 2000 :
For: MULTILUMEN CATHETER ASSEMBLY : Attorney Docket
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Submitted herewith are the following for the above-identified application:

- ☒ [X] A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application -- Filing Date Granted, mailed August 17, 2000.
- ☐ [] No Notice to File Missing Parts has been received.
- ☒ [X] Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- ☐ [] Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and 1.27.
- ☐ [] Verified English translation of application as filed.
- ☐ [] Priority document(s): Certified copy(ies) of ____ patent application No(s). ____, filed in ____ on ____ from which priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119.
- ☐ [] Formal drawings: ____ sheets
- ☐ [] Information Disclosure Statement, PTO-1449, and cited references.
- ☐ [] Preliminary Amendment.
- ☐ [] Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission, including:
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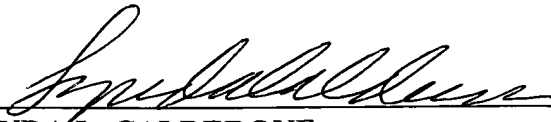
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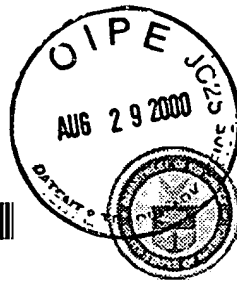
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